Project Name: AC for Labor/Material/Concrete for Park Operations

Pre-Submittal Date: February 6, 2013

**SBEDA Affirmative Procurement Initiative:** 15% SBE Subcontracting Goal; 10% M/WBE Subcontracting Goal

## I. Subcontracting Program

- <u>15%</u> must be subcontracted to certified SBE(s) designated within San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area (SAMSA)
- <u>10%</u> must be subcontracted to certified M/WBE(s) designated within San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area (SAMSA)
- Certified M/WBE's must also be certified SBE's
- First tier certified SBE(s) and M/WBE(s) will only count toward the percentage goal
- Respondents must demonstrate their intent to accomplish this requirement by submitting the appropriate documentation with their response (Subcontractor/Supplier Commitment Form)
- Failure of a respondent to submit the Subcontractor/Supplier Commitment Form with their bid response will deem its response **nonresponsive**
- SBE Prime participation does NOT count towards SBE Subcontracting goal
- M/WBE Prime participation does NOT count toward M/WBE Subcontracting goal

## II. Eligibility Criteria

- Eligibility Certification:
  - o SBE
  - o SBE and M/WBE (AABE/ABE/HABE/NABE/WBE)
  - Certified through the South Central Texas Regional Certification Agency (SCTRCA) to perform commercially-useful function
- Be considered small under SBA size standards for specific industry category of work being proposed
- Headquartered or demonstrate "significant business presence" (20% of total company employees) regularly based in the SAMSA (Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Guadalupe, Kendall, Medina, or Wilson) for at least one year
- SBEDA staff can assist with priority certification while solicitation is open
- For additional information, contact Brenda Navarro at 210.207.5442 brenda.navarro@sanantonio.gov

## **III.** Waivers & Exceptions

- A full or partial waiver of a specified subcontracting goal may be requested, for good cause, by submitting the *Respondent Subcontracting Waiver Request* form with the solicitation response
  - o Form is available at www.sanantonio.gov/edd/SmallBusiness/
  - Waiver request must fully document subcontractor unavailability despite good faith efforts to comply with the goal
- Respondent may request, for good cause, an Exception to the application of the SBEDA Program by submitting the Exception to SBEDA Program Requirements Request form with the solicitation response
  - o Form available at <a href="https://www.sanantonio.gov/edd/SmallBusiness/">www.sanantonio.gov/edd/SmallBusiness/</a>
  - o Exception request must fully document why:
    - ♦ Value of contract is below \$50,000;
    - ♦ No commercially-useful subcontracting opportunities exist; or
    - ◆ Type of contract is outside scope of the SBEDA Ordinance
- For Waivers or Exceptions, contact Brenda Navarro (210) 207-5442 or brenda.navarro@sanantonio.gov

## IV. Central Vendor Registry (CVR)

- All contractors/consultants wishing to do business with the City must first register in the CVR
- To begin the registration process, please go to <a href="http://www.sanantonio.gov/purchasing/SAePS.aspx">http://www.sanantonio.gov/purchasing/SAePS.aspx</a>
- For technical assistance please call (210) 207-0118